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In re the Application of: Movaghar, et al.]
 Serial No.: 09/009,526]
 Filed: January 20, 1998]
 Title: Apparatus For Securing CCD]
 Board At A Fixed Position Within]
 A Range Of Motion]

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This communication is in response to the Office Action dated July 6, 1999.

REMARKS

In response to the Office Action mailed July 6, 1999, each one of the cited references has been reviewed, and the rejections and objections made to the claims by the Examiner have been considered. The claims presently on file in the above-identified application are believed to be patentably distinguishable over the cited references, and therefore allowance of these claims is earnestly solicited.